Resolution No.: 17-543

Introduced:

September 18, 2012

Adopted:

September 25, 2012

COUNTY COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

By: Council President at the Request of the County Executive

SUBJECT: An Application Submitted by Montgomery Housing Partnership, Inc. (MHP). to

the State of Maryland Community Investment Tax Credit Program for Acquiring

Tax Credits

Background

- 1. The State of Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development (MDDHCD), has established the Community Investment Tax Credit Program.
- 2. The Community Investment Tax Credit Program (CITC) is a part of the Smart Growth initiative designed to promote efforts to support a variety of projects for special populations, to provide a source of funds for assistance, and to support projects undertaken by the nonprofit sector.
- 3. CITC provides tax credits to corporations that donate funds to nonprofit organizations that provide services and projects to special populations throughout the state.
- 4. Montgomery County supports the preservation and expansion of affordable housing and support for low income residents in developing self sufficiency.
- 5. MHP's mission is to preserve and expand affordable housing in Montgomery County.
- 6. MHP's Community Life programs provide assistance to low income residents in development of self sufficiency skills.
- 7. The proceeds from these tax credits will be used to support MHP's Community Life programs.
- 8. Under CITC, MHP has applied to MDDHCD for approval of the project and for an allocation of \$50,000 tax credits for business entities that contribute.
- 9. The County Executive and the County Council support Montgomery Housing Partnership's application for \$50,000 in tax credits. This support is given as specified in COMAR 5.14.01.05B(10)(a).

Action

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following Resolution:

Montgomery County supports the application of Montgomery Housing Partnership Inc.'s allocation of tax credit funds under the Community Investment Tax Credit Program to support its Community Life programs.

This is a correct copy of Council action:

Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council

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